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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kenji HANABUSA, et al.  
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FOR: BASIC AMINO ACID DERIVATIVES



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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration w/attached Substitute Abstract in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated November 4, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this response.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this response.

**Support for the Amendments** begin on page 8 of this response.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this response.